

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY JUNE 22.

TO-DAY'S ANNIVERSARIES
Born: Robert Nelson, 1856.
Thomas Day (author of "Sandford and Merton"), 1748.
Died: Matthew Henry, 1714.
Nicholas Machiaveli (statesman), 1527.

Gahele sentenced, 1828.
Napoleon I. abdicated, 1815.
Survivors of Greely expedition rescued, 1884.

SULLIVAN'S WILD AMBITION.

A democratic paper in St. Louis, the Republic, is engaged in making some attacks on Mr. Blaine, remarking that his "political affiliation" with advocates of wholesale murder "has not tended to strengthen the administration with the American people who have not yet been convinced that assassination is politics."

It may be that caused the St. Louis Republic to make this remark, although it is charitable to suppose that it was ignorance. If the Republic, or any other democratic paper, wants a brief history of Alexander Sullivan's political career, it is referred to the New York Herald, which should be considered as good democratic authority. That history, briefly stated, is this:

As early as 1854 Sullivan saw that there was a strong Irish opposition to the nomination of Cleveland. He determined to utilize it for his own benefit, as a cent out a private call for a number of well known Irishmen to meet in Chicago at the same time the national democratic convention did. They came, and one evening Judge Prendergast, then a friend of Sullivan, invited some of them to a meeting in Sullivan's office. The judge made the following startling announcement: That he had been in communication with John Kelley, of New York, Thomas F. Grady with a view to allying the Irish opposition to Cleveland and effecting a compromise. The proposition was this:

That if the democratic convention would nominate Alexander Sullivan a candidate for the vice presidency of the United States the Irish would forego their opposition to Cleveland, and this would guarantee that the Cleveland administration would not be pro-Irish or anti-Irish.

Of course this proposition fell like a wet blanket on the meeting, so the Herald says, and one objection to Sullivan was that he was born in Canada, although Sullivan claimed in the meeting that he was born in Maine. He afterwards became a "leader" of the anti-Cleveland Irish-American and he worked it fine on the national republican committee. He succeeded in gobbling up some \$50,000; and the Herald adds that he set to work in writing letters to local committees asking them to demand that Sullivan be sent to them as a speaker. Many speeches never delivered by him were published as if they had been delivered, so that his glory might be enhanced.

It is needless to remark that after the campaign of 1884, Alexander Sullivan followed no more after the republicans.

HOW TO WIN A VICTORY.

The New York Times is lamenting over the defeat of constitutional prohibition in Pennsylvania. Of course it does not cease its attacks upon the republican party, and the general charge is that the political parties are held in subjection by the seignior power. It must be admitted that the thunder tone with which the people of Pennsylvania spoke against constitutional prohibition, is discouraging to the friends of that movement. But it won't do for them to lose their temper, nor say foolish things of the persons who voted against the proposed amendment.

The time has fully come when it becomes necessary for the temperance people of the country to stop and thoughtfully consider whether the present policy of dealing with the liquor traffic is tending. There is no question that the third party movement is a hopeless one, and will be for years to come. There is a sentiment against the prohibition movement as at present conducted, and that sentiment is increasing. The strength of the reaction against prohibition is shown by the following list of states that have refused during the last two years to adopt prohibitory amendments:

Michigan..... 5,415 New Hampshire..... 5,000
Texas..... 92,661 Massachusetts..... 41,522
Tennessee..... 27,030 Pennsylvania..... 180,000
Oregon..... 7,980 Rhode Island..... 35,000
West Virginia..... 35,751

It such states as Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire and Rhode Island, cast such votes against prohibition, there is not now a single other state in the Union that will adopt it. What then is the duty of temperance workers, especially of the christian temperance people who have allied themselves on the side of the hopeless cause of state prohibition? It certainly does appear, that duty and intelligence would dictate that some other method of restricting the great evil of the saloon must be tried. If constitutional prohibition is impossible, and all fair-minded persons will admit that it is, then why not try the system that will produce the best results? Why not unite all the temperance forces on a platform upon which all can stand, so that there will be one movement which cannot fail to produce good results?

The great question which now confronts the American people is that of temperance, and but little progress is being made to lessen the evils that constantly flow from the liquor traffic. Very little progress will ever be made so long as there is no unity of action among temperance workers. There must be a marshaling of temperance forces in one direction, or there will be failure. There must be surrendering of individual opinions for the common good. Without these it is impossible to hope for that good time when the liquor traffic shall cease to curse the land.

The country will be glad to hear that the Milwaukee postoffice site is settled.

Hepburn sustains (Linton, and block 23 has it. Twenty-three has had a hard fight and has won two victories. This war being over, Milwaukee can now concentrate its forces on the one-cent rate.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS.

Several weeks ago a great many newspapers printed the statement that Mr. Theodore Roosevelt, of the civil service commission, said he could not himself pass the civil service examinations. This statement was founded on the alleged policy of the old civil service commission to hurl at applicants a lot of catch questions, which, as a rule, could be answered only by young men fresh from college. During the recent visit of the commission to Milwaukee, Mr. Roosevelt took occasion to write a note to the editor of the Sentinel, in which he says that the assertion he made the statement is a falsehood, pure and simple. He further says:

I am glad to have a chance to say as emphatically as possible that our examinations are already of a practical character, and that we aim to make them more so day by day. The people who speak about their severity and their scholastic or pedagogic character either err from ignorance, or else make malicious misstatements. We prepare or have prepared thousands of questions; it is of course inevitable that there should occasionally be one that it would be wiser to leave unasked; but as a whole they are perfectly fair tests, either of the candidate's special fitness for his work or else of his general good sense and intelligence. I challenge any one to produce a series of papers (not an isolated question) of which these statements are not true.

All persons interested in a practical civil service law, with examinations that aim to test a young man's good sense, character, and intelligence, will give the commission their hearty support. There was a time when the examinations were very faulty. They did not test a man's fitness for a position in the civil service. They were made for the benefit of men who were just from school, and who could answer any number of book questions, but who knew very little of practical business. That the policy of the commission has been changed, is a good thing for the civil service.

A compliment to General Fairchild from the New York Tribune: "Secretary Noble has been fortunate in securing the services of General Lucius Fairchild to serve as a member of the Cherokee commission. This vacant place, which is now to be filled by a man of so much ability and prominence, has been declined with great energy and vigor by a considerable number of American citizens. The pay is not worth mentioning, and the duty is likely to be laborious and vexatious. It is not a violent inference from the conduct of the many gentlemen to whom the place has been offered, that the average American citizen, when he sets out in pursuit of an office, is after something besides fame." The Tribune should have added that it is violent interference with good business sense when the government of the United States demands the services of prominent and capable business men without paying a fair consideration therefor.

Bunker Hill monument was begun in 1823, but the building did not make much progress until 1827. It was stopped for lack of funds. Work was again resumed in 1834 and continued for a year. Various expedients were resorted to, but it would more than likely be an incomplete monument if the ladies of Boston, in one of their sewing circles, had not come to the rescue. They conceived the idea of a great fair to be held in Quincy hall, Boston, being September 5th, 1840, and women all over the United States were invited to contribute of their handiwork. It continued for ten days and netted \$30,035.50. This sum, with \$20,000 contributed by two patriotic gentlemen, was increased to \$55,050, and the work was completed July 23, 1842. It is very probable that had it not been for the women Bunker Hill monument would have remained in an unfinished condition many years longer than it did.

The operations of the sugar trust have completely cut off our export trade in refined sugar, which amounted to \$15,000,000 in a single year, and increased the annual cost of this prime necessary of living to American consumers to the amount of \$25,000,000. It is for this we have a tariff? Philadelphia Record.

It would have been better had the Philadelphia Record asked, "Is it for this we have a democratic party?" The Record is a democratic paper. It endorsed Cleveland's free trade message and gave the Mills bill its support; but when the republican senate sought to reduce the tariff on sugar 50 per cent, where was the Philadelphia Record found? It opposed the reduction, and worked into the hands of the sugar trust.

Once in a while Sam Jones will become sober-minded enough to tell a great truth. Recently he was talking to "white christians" at Jackson, Mississippi, and this is what he said to them: "I and a southern man, born in the south, love the south and expect to go to Heaven from the south; yet, I say to you, my friends, when your young men swear to election returns they know to be false, they are getting on dangerous ground. There are more ways to kill a dog than to choke him on fat." When false election returns are bad enough to disgust Sam Jones, they must be very bad indeed.

The civil service commission of the United States, consisting of Charles Lyman, ex-Governor Thompson, of South Carolina, and Theodore Roosevelt, have been in Milwaukee. They are said to have found the Milwaukee postoffice free from personal or political favoritism and that it was quite a model in regard to civil service reformation.

For a disordered liver try Beecham's Pills.

SAW PART OF THE DEED.

GEO. E. BROOKS TELLS HIS EXPERIENCE ON MAY 4.

Martin Burke Fully Identified by Ex-Prosecutor Martinson at Waukegan—The Criminal Record.

CHICAGO, June 22.—An important witness in the Cronin case has turned up. He is George E. Brooks, a news agent running on one of the railroads coming in at the union depot.

His story is to the effect that the night of May 4 he was driving in Lake View with his sweetheart, and that happening along Ashland avenue he saw three men loading the trunk into the wagon at the Carlson cottage, and that about half an hour later he saw the same men dumping the contents of the trunk into the catchbasin in which the body of Dr. Cronin was found.

He also says that he saw the men distinctly, and that he will be able to identify them; and that his female companion also saw them, and that she, too, will be able to identify them. He is ready to produce the young woman as soon as the authorities want.

Brooks' explanation of his failure to tell his story before is that he was afraid of losing his life, as he believed the men concerned in the murder were so desperate they would kill any one who they thought might turn up as a witness against them. He said the knowledge he possessed had so weighed on his mind he could not keep it to himself any longer, and believing it was a duty he owed himself and the community he had at last decided to tell all he had seen. He first stipulated that he be given protection. This was promised him.

POSTPONED UNTIL WEDNESDAY.

Judge Bain Adjourns the Preliminary Hearing in Martin Burke's Case.

WINNEPEG, Man., June 22.—Friday morning at 10:30 Martin Burke was taken up in court before Judge Bain. Mr. Howie, counsel for the prosecution, asked that the case be remanded for one week. He said he was collecting evidence and would be prepared to go ahead with his witness Saturday, but as counsel and additional witnesses would have to be brought from Chicago he thought a remand for a week would be necessary. He had written to State's Attorney Logghe, telling him exactly what he would have to prove in order to secure Burke's extradition.

Isaac Campbell, Burke's counsel, objected to so long a remand and Judge Bain decided that the case should go over until next Wednesday. It is understood that the witness referred to is Martinson.

Burke identified by Martinson.

WINNEPEG, Manitoba, June 22.—Expressman Hakan Martinson, who hauled the furniture from 117 Clark street to the Carlson cottage, has identified Martin Burke as the man who hired him to do the hauling.

FIVE WERE MURDERED.

News of Frightful Outrages Committed in Montana.

HELENA, Mont., June 22.—News has reached this city of a series of brutal murders about 150 miles north of here, evidently committed by one person. Saturday the body of a middle-aged woman was found. She had been shot in the back. Tuesday the bodies of two men and two girls, the latter aged about 16 and 20 respectively, were found within 100 yards of the same spot. None of the bodies could be identified. Near the spot were found the remains of camp equipage, supposed to be that of emigrants traveling across the country in wagons. All possible efforts are being made to find the perpetrator of the murders.

Killed by His Bride.

MAYNARD, Iowa, June 22.—Frank P. Reiter, an aged farmer who lived three miles north of Maynard, was shot dead on the morning of the 19th by his wife, to whom he had been married only a few months. She claims to have done the deed in self-defense. The murder was not discovered until yesterday, and at first the woman disclaimed any knowledge of it, but afterward confessed.

Red-Nosed Mike Must Hang.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., June 22.—Gov. Beaver has notified the sheriff here that he would not interfere in the case of "Red-Nosed Mike." The murderer will therefore hang Tuesday. His aged mother, who visited Harrisburg to beg for clemency, broke the sad news to her son. She fainted in the corridor from the intense nervous strain.

A Drunken Boarder's Bloody Revenge.

SANTA BARBARA, Cal., June 22.—J. B. Henderson, aged 25, shot his landlady, Mrs. Andonigan, in the breast this morning and then shot himself in the mouth and died. Henderson was arrested for drunkenness yesterday and it is supposed he shot the woman for causing the trouble. She may recover.

Train Robbers Sentenced.

PRESCOTT, Ariz., June 22.—Chief Justice Wright has sentenced Dan Harwick, W. H. Stead, and James Halford the Carleton Diablo train robbers who robbed an express train on the Atlantic & Pacific railroad last April, to twenty-five years' each in the penitentiary.

Howard Sentenced.

NEW YORK, June 22.—William E. Howard, convicted of swindling in connection with the electric-sugar fraud, was sentenced today to nine years and eight months in the State's prison.

Pennsylvania's Official Returns.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., June 22.—Official returns have been received from every county in the State. The majority against the prohibitory amendment is 159,020. The majority for the repeal of the poll-tax qualification is 235,450.

Evictions on the Ponsonby Estate.

DUBLIN, June 22.—Several families were evicted on the Ponsonby estate today. The tenants offered a stout resistance, and in some cases the evictors had to use a battering ram to effect an entrance into the cottages. Several persons were injured while resisting the bailiffs. Six arrests were made.

Dr. B. MINNER, the eminent physician of Detroit, Mich., will visit every town in this county during the summer. Any one suffering with weak eyes, or eyes abused by inferior glasses, should not fail to see him. Orders left at the post-office will be promptly attended to. No extra charge for examining or visiting patients at their homes.

Will be at the Myers House, Janesville, two days only, Friday and Saturday, July 12th and 13th, 1890.

Don't stop at Brown Bros. shoe store because if you do you will surely buy, they are making such low prices.

DOWN IN A COAL MINE.

Result of a Lamp Explosion in a Coal Mine.

MANY MINERS ENTOMBED.

The Collapse of an Old Tenement House in Boston—Loss of Life.

Special to the Gazette.

MELBOURN, June 22.—Through the carelessness of a miner in entering the shaft at New Castle with a naked lamp, an explosion ensued demolishing the walls of the shaft and imprisoning seventy-five miners. A rescuing party is at work. It is believed that none will be rescued alive.

TERRENT HOUSE COLLAPSE.

Boston, June 22.—A three-story tenement in South Boston collapsed this morning, and one old woman was killed. It is believed that others are buried in the ruins.

FIRE UPON BY HAYTIANS.

A Yankee Whaling Vessel's Rough Experience—A Case for Mr. Blaine.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., June 22.—Capt. Joseph Fisher of the schooner Battle of Provincetown, which arrived here from a whaling voyage reports that on Feb. 6, she put into Samaria bay, Santo Domingo, and was boarded by the officer of the port, a general, who came on board with soldiers and inspected the vessel. Capt. Fisher said he was going whaling, and the general gave him permission to get wood and water as long as he staid in that vicinity. On May 13 the schooner arrived at the whaling place. At 6 o'clock that evening five soldiers under command of an officer, came down to the beach and fired ten or fifteen shots at the schooner. The soldiers were armed with good American rifles. The first shot passed about a foot above the captain's head. The next two shots went among the crew standing on the windlass bits, passing close to two men. With the bullets flying about the captain had no opportunity to show the American flag. Capt. Fisher ordered all hands below and went down himself. When the soldiers found no one on deck they fired into the vessel, hitting the copper cooler near the foremast.

The next day Capt. Fisher demanded an explanation. The officials said they thought the vessel was a Spanish smuggler. On May 14 Capt. Fisher went to Gradus, eight miles west, and complained to Gen. Papoo, who had the five soldiers arrested. They were arraigned and tried, but three days after Gen. Papoo released them, giving as a reason to Capt. Fisher that he found they did not kill any one. There is a lack of discipline among the military, and the Americans attribute the attack to liquor. A complaint against the Haytian government will be sent to Secretary Blaine by Capt. Fisher. The men who did the firing were Haytians.

BOUND TO BEAT HIS HEIRS.

A Dying Man Burns Up \$20,000 to Keep It from His Wife and Son.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 22.—Franklin, Ky., has a sensation. William J. Hilton, a wealthy and miserly old merchant who is thought to be on his death-bed, today groped out of his bed, which is situated in the back part of his store, and went into the store. He was followed by an old negro man, his attendant, whom he ordered to take a certain nail keg and put it on the fire in his room. The keg was loaded up with both ends, and he told the negro that it had a few nails in it and some old papers, a will among other things, that he wished to destroy. The negro did as directed, little dreaming that he was consigning to the flames about \$20,000 in greenbacks and Government bonds. A gentleman who visited the old man soon afterward discovered the remains of the greenbacks and bonds in the fireplace.

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A Former Clerk of J. M. Bostwick Arrested for Theft.

J. H. EDDY PLEADS GUILTY,

And Is Sentenced by Judge Patterson to Six Months' Hard Labor at Waupun.

For some time the dry goods firm of J. M. Bostwick & Son has missed small pieces of goods and other articles from their store. A short time since John H. Eddy, who had been employed by them in the capacity of clerk, was suspected to be connected with the thefts.

On the 14th of June Mr. Bostwick missed twenty yards of black satin, valued in the neighborhood of \$40. This caused the movements of Mr. Eddy to be closely watched. Lately he had been absent from the city a short time. When he returned last evening he was put under arrest by Marshal Hogan taken to his room at the Park hotel, where the piece of satin was found. Afterwards he was taken to the county jail, and lodged for the night. This morning he came up before Judge Patterson at the municipal court on the charge of larceny.

Mr. Eddy waived examination. The judge then compelled the defendant to give bonds in the sum of \$500 and appear before the municipal court June 27th. The defendant then filed an affidavit that he has been committed for trial and is in actual confinement under the charge of larceny, he desired to plead guilty, which he was allowed to do, whereupon the judge read the following sentence: "The sentence of the court is that you, John H. Eddy, be punished by imprisonment in the state prison of this state at hard labor for the period of six months."

The first three days will be solitary confinement, also the first two days of the month of September.

Mr. Eddy has taken goods from Mr. Bostwick to the amount of over one hundred dollars, some of the goods taken by him have been traced to Michigan.

A lady from Evansville who was trading at Mr. Bostwick's some time since, when looking at some goods, put her pocketbook on the counter and when she went to take it, found it gone. The purse contained \$18. Marshal Hogan found it last evening in Eddy's room, identified it as the one belonging to the Evansville lady and accused his prisoner of stealing it. This, he at first denied, but when the marshal threatened to send for the lady, he confessed that he had taken it.

Mr. Eddy came here from Marquette, Michigan, sometime in February. He was a fine appearing gentleman, and had a recommendation from a salesman employed by Marshall, Field & Co., Chicago, and was employed by Mr. Bostwick. He left Mr. Bostwick sometime since, and since then has apparently had no occupation.

He was taken to Waupun this afternoon by Sheriff Butcock, leaving the city at 1:20 on the Northwestern road. The defendant was represented in court by Ogden H. Fethers, Esq.

CIRCUIT COURT.

In the circuit court to-day the motion for a new trial in the action of John Wm. Kelly by his guardian against Nelson O. Abbott, L. Adam et al. against Austin E. Burpee and W. H. Lathers against Wm. Wyman were argued by counsel and overruled.

BRIEFLETS.

—Miss Mary Waring is visiting friends in Milwaukee.

—J. G. Baird, of Evansville, is visiting his mother in this city.

—John L. Crump, of the Leader office, is visiting friends in the city.

—Superintendent of Schools J. Boyd Jones is calling on Jansville friends to-day.

—Miss Cora Campbell, of Whitewater, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. S. Ames, third ward.

—Mrs. A. P. Burnham went to Monroe this morning to visit her parents who reside in that city.

—Mrs. W. F. Hayes went to Milton this morning where she will spend a few days of the guest of her parents.

—The Beloit Free Press: Miss Al. Heimstret, of Jansville, is a guest of Miss Mattie Purvis, of this city.

—Miss Hattie Benedict will attend the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Pratt, at Ft. Atkinson this evening.

—A. P. Burnham, manager of the American Express Company's office this city, is in Chicago attending the races to-day.

—Miss Laura Chapman and Mrs. G. A. Melcatt returned from Brodhead this morning, where they have been visiting friends.

—A base ball club recently organized on the west side, will meet the Hanover nine on the grounds of the latter to-morrow.

—Michael Joyce was up before the judge of the municipal court this afternoon for being drunk and committed to the county jail for fifteen days.

—Dr. A. E. Armstrong, formerly first assistant at the Northern hospital, now of Fond du Lac, is in the city to-day, and was a welcome visitor at the Gazette office.

—Mr. W. G. Palmer, of the firm of Palmer & Stevens, who has been confined to his home for some time with a severe cold, is able to attend to business to-day.

—Miss Bertha Jackson went to Rockford this morning where she will attend commencement exercises at the Rockford seminary.

—Ryan and Carpenter will finish laying the blocks on Court street bridge to-day. The bridge will be open to the public next Wednesday.

—The Children's Musical Society will meet as usual next Tuesday. A full attendance is desired as some important notices will be given out.

—Miss Fannie Sheldon, who is a teacher in the public schools at Madison, is spending the summer vacation at the home of her parents in this city.

—Miss Anna Sheldon, a teacher of Chicago, arrived in the city last evening and is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Sheldon, fourth ward.

—Robert Buchanan of the Buchanan Comedy Company, was in the city this

morning. He reports the company as doing a heavy business in Whitewater this week.

—Mr. Charles E. Green will give a free exhibition of wire walking at Crystal Park to-morrow afternoon between four and five o'clock. The steamer Enterprise will leave every hour.

—Madam Moss, natural clairvoyant and fortune teller, will remain a few days longer. All who desire to consult her will do so at once to avoid a rush. 116 East Milwaukee street, opposite oak barns.

—Rev. C. L. Morgan, of Moline, Ill., is in the city; the guest of Rev. S. P. Wilder. Mr. Morgan was a classmate of Mr. Wilder for several years, four years in Beloit college and three years in the seminary.

—R. L. Colvin, of the Boston Bakery, North Main street, now has one of the gayest bakery delivery wagons in the state. It is a model of beauty and convenience and was built by F. F. Stokburger, at Peconic, (Illinois).

—There are only seven high schools in the state which prepare students for entrance to all courses at the state university at Madison. They are situated at Beloit, Fond du Lac, Janesville, La Crosse, Madison, Milwaukee and Monroe.

—The ladies of Trinity church parish will give a strawberry and ice cream festival at the G. A. R. hall Saturday evening. The bill of fare will include strawberries, ice cream and cake, all for 25 cents. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody.

—A little son of James G. Wray, Linn street, fourth ward, while playing with some of his companions last evening, was thrown from a small wagon and sustained a fracture of the collar bone. The little fellow is doing well, and will soon be able to be about again.

—The remains of the late John Burne, Jr., arrived in the city from Richmond Center this morning, and were taken from the cars to the home of Mr. Michael Conroy, 256 Cherry street. The funeral services will be held at two o'clock Sunday afternoon from St. Patrick's church.

—Hon. J. B. D. Cogswell, who was United States district attorney for Wisconsin in 1861, died at his home in Massachusetts last Saturday. Mr. Cogswell was formerly speaker of the house and state senator in Massachusetts, and will be remembered by many in this city, as a lawyer in Milwaukee in an early day.

—The funeral of Willie Gibson, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gibson, drowned yesterday afternoon, will be held from the home of the parents, 161 North Franklin street, at two o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The services will be conducted by Rev. M. Evans, of the First M. E. church, and the regular choir of the church will furnish the music.

—At precisely 8:30 o'clock this morning, as per arrangement previously made, nine kids of the second and third ward, started out in one of Ryan's rigs. The parties are not at this time informed as to their destination. The knowing ones expect that the captain—Clemons—will report the varnishing of the Evansville nine on the diamond field, later.

—At the Lawrence university commencement Rev. E. G. Updike, of Milwaukee, received the degree of D. D. Ormsby Hall, a building for the accommodation of young ladies, was dedicated. It cost upwards of \$25,000, of which almost \$6,000 was raised at the dedication. D. O. W. Gallagher, of Providence, is the newly elected president.

—There was a pleasant gathering of neighbors at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Foote, first ward, last evening. It was the twenty-fifth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Foote. The party was wholly a surprise to them. The guests were entertained in a very hospitable manner and did not depart for their homes until a late hour.

—Mrs. J. L. Ford has kindly invited the Chautauque Circle to meet with her next Monday evening, June 24th, at seven o'clock p. m., promptly. Bring song and badge. The programme will be entertaining and a pleasant time is anticipated. This is the last meeting of the year 1898-99, and Mrs. Ford is especially desirous to welcome every member of the circle.

—The Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, consisting of the "Happy Gleasers" and "Willing Workers" will have a lawn social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lothain, 208 South Main street, next Wednesday evening. The entertainment will consist of recitations and singing, also ice cream and cake. Every person interested is cordially invited.

—The Mutual base ball club was delayed this morning because one of the men from Beloit did not come on time. They left on the 1:20 train over the Northwestern road for Watertown. Their outfit in the way of uniforms is entirely new and complete. The uniforms were furnished by Alderman J. B. McLean, and are fully equal to any worn by the league clubs.

—The Y. P. S. C. E. of the First M. E. church, will give a social at the parsonage, 102 South Academy street, next Monday evening. The entertainment will consist of dialogues, singing, etc., and a good social time. Every member of the church or congregation is cordially invited, especially the younger people. The pastor and his wife desire to get acquainted with the scores of young people who attend the church. No collection and no admission fee.

—The funeral of the late Michael Barron, the victim of Thursday morning's row at Monterey, was held at St. Mary's church at ten o'clock this morning. The Rev. F. Ter Roche conducting the services. A large number of friends were present and listened to the impressive services. The remains were conveyed to Mount Olivet cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. Thomas Bahany, Wm. Hines, Thomas Burns, Thomas Birmingham, M. Murphy and George R. Little.

—The party of young people who left the city on the steamer Enterprise last evening had a most enjoyable time. The evening until about nine o'clock was spent on the river. Good musicians were present, who entertained the company in a very happy manner. A little after nine o'clock the steamer landed at Crystal Springs, where the company spent a few hours "tripping the light fantastic." The music was under the direction of Mr. Tuckwood. The party returned home at a late hour, all having enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

MORE THAN A CENTURY.

Catherine Fallen the Oldest Person in Janesville.

ONE HUNDRED AND THREE

Years of Age, and Has Been Totally Blind for More Than One Year.

News reached us last evening that a lady living in the fourth ward was dangerously ill. When it was known that nothing but old age seemed to be the complaint, inquiry was made as to the probable age of the lady in question.

A west Milwaukee street gentleman who resides in the neighborhood of the old lady said that it had been told him by good authority that the lady was 103 years of age. "She is the oldest lady in the city without a doubt," said the gentleman.

Not many in the city are aware that there is a person living right in our midst who has seen the summers and winters of more than a century. It is remarkable that a person should live to that age at this period when the average years of man hardly reach one score and ten. "I have not seen this lady for some weeks, in fact I have never seen her but a very few times as she has been pretty much confined to the house since I have resided in that neighborhood. Her name is Kate Fallen. She has one daughter, the wife of John Birmingham, who is in the employ of Mr. Hiram Merrill, of this city." Mrs. Fallen lived alone for many years in a small house near what is now the fourth ward park. About twelve years since she became so feeble that she was not able to take care of herself and so gave up house-keeping and since then has been in the care of her son-in-law, where she now lives.

A representative of the Gazette called on Mr. Birmingham, who was this work on East Milwaukee street last evening to inquire whether there had not been mistake made in giving the age of his mother.

"Yes," said he, "the old lady is living at my house."

"Is her name Kate Fallen, and is she a hundred years old?"

"Yes, sir," said Mr. Birmingham. "You have got the name right, it is Catherine Fallen. I can't tell you any more, sir. I don't want the old lady advertised; she has been with me now these ten years, and nobody has inquired about her, nobody but me and my wife has cared whether she lived or died. No, sir, I am able to care for the poor old mother as long as she lives, and I tell you I will miss her when she's gone."

"How long has Mrs. Fallen resided in the city?"

"I can't tell, exactly, but it is well on to thirty-five years. She came here not far from the Maybury hanging, probably a few years before."

"Have you any means of knowing her exact age?"

"Yes, sir. I can prove she is one hundred and two years old, and I think a number of years older than that."

"Has she always enjoyed good health?"

"She has never known a sick day in her life until about two weeks ago when she took her bed and the poor woman can never get up again. She is not sick now, only dying of old age. It won't be any doctor that we can blame for her death, for she never had a doctor in her life. Nobody cared anything about her, sir, when she was well but me, and what's the use of their knowing anything about it now that she is most dead."

"It will be very interesting for the people to know that we have a lady of that age living in the city."

"Did Mrs. Fallen come directly to Janesville when she arrived in this country?"

"Yes, sir; Ireland is her native country, and she came right to Janesville, after staying a few days in New York. Her husband died in the old country and she and the children had to fight their battle alone, and she has been a kind mother to me since I married her daughter. She has other children living in different states."

"About a year ago the old lady entirely lost her eyesight, and since that time has been mostly confined to the house. I would be pleased to care for her another hundred years if she could live that long." At this point Mr. Birmingham would say no more. He was deeply affected at the condition of his mother who in all probability can not live many days.

A SCHOOL PICNIC.

ROCK COUNTY SCHOOLS HAVE A PICNIC AT CRYSTAL SPRINGS.

The steamer Enterprise was chartered this afternoon and children and teachers from many schools in Rock county enjoyed a ride up the river and a pleasant time at Crystal Springs park where lunch was served and an interesting programme carried out. E. M. Hyzer, Esq., of this city, delivered a very interesting and instructive address, which was followed by Prof. J. E. Coleman, of Evansville, J. Boyd Jones, and Frank Eyster, of Fulton. Quite a number joined in the exercises, and in spite of the cool weather everybody had a general good time.

NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

For the next meeting of the National Educational Association, the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company will sell tickets to Nashville, Tenn., and return, good going from July 1st to July 15th, and good returning from July 16th to September 10th, at rate of one lowest limited first class fare for the round trip, with \$2.00 donation for Association membership fee.

For tickets and detailed information, apply to any agent of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company, or address E. P. Wilson, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

On July 3rd and 4th the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Co. will sell excursion tickets between all stations, good returning until the 5th, inclusive, at one fare for the round trip. For tickets and full information apply to agents of Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

THREE SWINDLERS FOILED.

THE OLD GOLD BRICK GAME-LOOKING FOR HIS UNCLE.

Beloit Citizen.—It is reported that a party—three in number—were foiled in a scheme in this city on Wednesday.

For the past few days three strangers have been stopping in this city, putting up at one of our hotels.

A short time since one of them went to Clinton and going to Mr. Wyman, proprietor and owner of the Wyman house, claimed that he was an orphan boy who had been living in California, but had come east to look for a lost uncle. In his pocket was a likeness of his uncle, which he used as an aid in discovering the person of his lost uncle. After talking for some time he stated that "he guessed he (Wyman) was not his uncle." He then began telling of California, its rich gold fields and the advantages of the country, and stated that there were two "aunts" at Beloit, strangers, who had a gold brick, which he valued at about \$25,000, but which he thought could be bought for \$16,000 or \$18,000. He thereupon offered to share with Mr. Wyman in the purchase of it.

By his smooth talk he had the old gentleman convinced that there was a good bargain in it. The stranger then asked Mr. Wyman to come to Beloit and get some of the dust and test it. This he did to the amount of \$5 worth, for which he paid the necessary collateral, and departed home. A test was made at Clinton and the mineral found to be pure gold.

Yesterday Wyman came to Beloit with \$8,000 in money to make the purchase. His wife accompanied him, because she realized that something was wrong.

The sharpest took the Clinton gentleman to an old building across the line owned by F. Fitzgibbon, where the transaction was to be made. The party owning the gold brick was there dressed as an Indian. Mr. Wyman desired a second test made, however, and proceeded to Will Maynard's store for that purpose.

In the meantime Mrs. Wyman had been investigated matters and was soon thoroughly convinced that something was wrong. She then proceeded to foil the sharpest, which she did, and immediately laid the whole scheme before her husband. After realizing the plan of the sharpest he was satisfied to return home with his money safe in hand. The sharpest soon took to their heels across the line, out of reach of the city officers.

THE LINCOLN HISTORY.

THE CLOSING CHAPTERS IN "THE CENTURY" THE GREAT SUCCESS OF THE SERIAL.

Following upon the July chapters of "The Life of Lincoln"—which, as already announced, describe the president's renomination and Mr. Greeley's self-suggested peace trip to Niagara—there will probably be only six more installments of this remarkable history in the Century series. It is said that these concluding chapters deal with the most important and absorbing personal and political topics, to which Messrs. Nicolay and Hay bring a vast fund of special information. Lincoln's sagacity in dealing with men and measures (and occasionally his humor) come out in strong relief in the chapters that give the inside view of the attempt of the radicals to defeat the renomination of the president, the disagreements resulting in cabinet changes, Chase's appointment to the chief justiceship, and of the executive dealings with the "copperheads" conspirators at the north. No part of the work will attract wider attention than the account of the measures adopted by the religious denominations in support of the administration, and of the sympathy and wisdom with which the president met the suggestions of the churches. Of the interest of the last three installments it is only necessary to say that they cover the period from the second inaugural to the death of Lincoln and the collapse of the rebellion.

The publishers announce that the book numbers of the Century from November 1896, containing the installments of the Lincoln history are now all in print and can be supplied to those who wish to complete their sets. Of several of these numbers two hundred and fifty thousand have been printed.

THE COMMON LOT.

There is a place no voice can reach. There is a time no eye can teach. There is a chain no power can break. There is a sleep no sound can wake.

Sooner or later that time will arrive, that place will wait for your coming, that chain must bind you in helpless death, that sleep must fall on your eyes. But thousands every year go untried to their fate, and thousands more lengthen out their days by heedful, timely care.

For the failing strength, the weakening organs, the resting blood, Dr. Pierce's (Golden Medical Discovery) is a wonderful restorative and a prolonger of strength and life. It purifies the blood and invigorates the system, thereby fortifying it against disease. Of druggists.

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First-class one way and excursion tickets, also second-class tickets, to all California points; and first-class tourist excursion tickets to the resorts of Colorado, Utah and the North Pacific coast, and all the summer resorts of the west and north are now on sale. For full information, apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway, or address E. P. Wilson, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Excursions to Chautauque Lake, N. Y. At intervals, during July and August the Chicago & Northwestern Railway Company will sell excursion tickets to Chautauque Lake, New York, and return at very low rates. These tickets are first-class, and will be good returning any day from date of sale. For full information, apply to agents of Chicago & Northwestern Railway, or address E. P. Wilson, General Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill.

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THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

Four New Lines of Development Determined Upon.

RAILWAY ENGINEERING.

Railway Mechanics, Electrical Engineering, and The College of Law.

The commencement which has just been held at the State University was notable for the large showing of results not only but for the prospective extensions and new features which were determined upon by the authorities. The graduating class numbered 162 which is at least 30 more than ever graduated from the University in any year before.

Besides quite a number of minor actions taken by the authorities, some of which are of considerable consequence, there were four new lines of development determined upon which have much importance. One of these consists of the establishment of three new courses, in the College of Mechanics and Engineering, one in railway engineering, one in railway mechanics, and one in electrical engineering. These courses, as sketched out, are very thoroughgoing and comprehensive, and they will be carried into actual execution as fast as may be found practicable.

Another very important movement is the reorganization, extension and strengthening of the college of law. It was felt that the time had come when it was necessary to employ the entire services of an experienced lawyer thoroughly equipped in legal learning as dean of the college; and also that the one-year course should be abandoned and a full strong two years course be maintained with the expectation that an